

WASHINGTON, D.C. , Congressman John W. Olver (D-1st District) announced that the U.S. House of Representatives has approved funding for a new counseling program for law enforcement in Gardner, Massachusetts.

The funding is included in the FY06 Science, State, Justice, and Commerce Appropriations conference report.

"On-Site Academy serves our community's heroes, our police, firefighters and EMTs," Olver said. "By providing training and support, we can help them better serve the community."

On-Site Academy in Gardner is one of two sister, non-profit organizations that treats first responders with trauma.

To date, Olver has secured over \$1.3 million for the project between FY02 and the current FY06 budget.

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